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INFO AMEMBASSY MANILA

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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: KHMER ISSUE AT 29TH UNGA

REF: A) MANILA 9623

B) MANILA 9937

1. PHILIPPINE FONSEC ROMULO'S ASSURANCES THAT GOP WILL GIVER KHMER 100 PERCENT SUPPORT IS WELCOME NEWS. HIS COMMENTS ON IMPORTANCE OF COMITE COMPOSITION MAY PROVIDE EMBASSY MANILA WITH APPROPRIATE BACKGROUND TO RAISE QUESTION OF VACANT VICE-PRESIDENCY IN GENERAL COMITE. THIS VICE-PRESIDENCY IS ONE OF THREE RESERVED FOR AN ASIAN NATION BUT USUN IS NOT AWARE THAT ANY EAST ASIAN MEMBER OF ASIAN REGIONAL GROUP HAS ANNOUNCED ITS CANDIDACY FOR THE POSITION.

2. THE LIST OF COUNTRIES ALREADY ENDORSED BY REGIONAL GROUPS AS CANDIDATES FOR THE GENERAL COMITE IS NOT A LIST OF COUNTRIES SYMPATHETIC TO USG AND GOP POSITIONS ON KHMER.

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THE PRESENCE OF THE PHILIPPINES IN THE GENERAL COMITE

WOULD ADD NEEDED BALANCE AND, DEPENDING UPON THE FINAL COMPOSITION OF THE COMITE, COULD BE CRITICAL TO THE SUCCESS OF TACTICS BEING WORKED OUT BY KHMER AND INDONESIA.

3. ACCORDING TO SOUTH KOREANS HERE, SEOUL DISCUSSED IMPORTANCE OF GENERAL COMMITTEE COMPOSITION WITH FONSEC ROMULO DURING HIS VISIT TO THE ROK. THE JAPANESE MISSION, IN TALKS WITH USUN ON KOREA ISSUE, AGREE THAT THE PHILIPPINES SHOULD BE URGED TO TAKE THE VACANT ASIAN VICE-PRESIDENCY AND MAY RAISE THIS WITH PHILIPPINE MISSION HERE.  
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